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## CORRESPONDENCE.

*To the Editor of the American Naturalist.*

SIR : — By an unfortunate mistake in my "Lamarck, the Founder of Evolution," it is stated on p. 56 that he died December 28, 1829, whereas the exact date is December 18, 1829. Therefore, on p. 56, line 3 from the bottom, for December 28, read December 18; and on p. 57, line 5, for December 30, read December 20.

The following is a copy of the *Acte de décès*:

VILLE DE PARIS — Année 1829. L'an mil huit cent vingt-neuf, le dix-huit décembre, est décédé à Paris, au Jardin du Roi, JEAN BAPTISTE PIERRE ANTOINE DE MONET DE LAMARCK, membre de l'Institut, âgé de quatre-vingt-cinq ans, veuf.

Le membre de la Commission,

Signé : DURANTON.

Also on p. 9, line 15, for "father" read "grandfather."

A. S. PACKARD.